GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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UPGRADATION AND MODERNIZATION OF PLASTIC TECHNOLOGY INSTITUTE
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to upgrade and modernize the existing plastic technology institutes in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI B.K.HANDIQUE)

(a) and (b): Central Institute of Plastics Engineering and Technology (CIPET), an autonomous organisation under the administrative control of the Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers, is implementing a project for upgrading the skills and technology in services offered by the Institute in order to meet the demand for qualified personnel and technical services in the plastics industry and for strengthening of capacities in thrust areas at different Centres of CIPET, with the financial assistance of US $ 12.30 million from Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) as soft Loan, through the Government of India.